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The Grand Old Poet of New England Passes Peacefully Away to His Eternal Rest.

The Bells of Haverhill Toll Out the Number of His Years and the People Sorrow.

HAMPTON FALLS, N.H., Sept. 7.—John G. Whittier, the poet, died here at 4:30 this morning. He passed away peacefully, his nearest relatives and Dr. Douglas being at the bedside. He seemed conscious of his surroundings at the last moment. The funeral will take place at Amesbury, Mass., at 2:30 Saturday. News of the death of Whittier was received at Haverhill with universal feelings of sadness and regret. The city hall bell struck 84 times at 8 o'lock, indicating the age of the deceased. The flags on public buildings and school house are displayed at half mast as a token of respect for the dead.

Democratic Ticket Safe.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 7.—It will be several days before the official vote of yesterday's election is known. Sufficient returns have been received, however, to insure the success of the Democratic state ticket by from 16,000 to 20,000 plurality.

The legislature will be Democratic by a large majority. In several counties where the People's party and the Republicans combined, the Democrats lost. The People's party state ticket polled a surprisingly light vote. They did not carry eight counties in the entire state. Col. Thos. Fletcher, chairman of the People's party committee, stated to-day that the returns were "fixed" in a large number of counties several days before the election.

Unionist Tyranny.

BARRE, Vermont, Sept. 7.—One of the largest granite manufacturers doing business here is C. E. Tainor of New York. During the strike he erected a large cutting shed and polishing mill, and recently he advertised for 50 non-union men. A few mornings ago there appeared, posted upon his shed the following notice:—"C. E. T. & Co., if you open this shed to scabs you will soon eat your dinner in hell." This morning when the hoisting engine was started steam burst from every joint, the valves having been loosened.

CANADA'S CAPITAL.

The British Behring Sea Case Complete—Changes in the Cabinet.

From our own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Sept. 7.—Mr. Dawson, one of the commissioners appointed to inquire into the Behring Sea matter, has returned from London, England. He says that the case which has been prepared on behalf of Canada and Britain is a most complete one, although so far all is kept secret.

It is on the political chessboard today that Meredith will be taken into the cabinet as minister of justice, to counteract the opposition which it is supposed will come from McCarthy, O'Brien and others to Thompson's elevation to the premiership. This will deprive the English-speaking people of Quebec of their representative in the Cabinet, so that some one would have to go out from Ontario. "Carling would be a good man to go, but he won't, and have an Eastern Township taken in," says Bullock Ives.

ROYAL CITY TALK

The Lulu Island Dyke—The City Debentures—Cases in Court.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 6.—Geo. McLean, a half-breed, who stabbed Emma Rodgers, half-breed, in the hand, was this morning committed for trial at the assizes.

The dyke proposed to be built by the city to connect with Lulu Island dyke, will cost $2000.

The statement of debentures reported to the council last night shows that the city is bonded for $506,000. The water works thus far have cost in the neighborhood of $74,000.

In the case of McCreney vs. Keefer, et al, Judge McCreight made an order to-day setting aside the lis pendens, upon Keefer giving security for $10,000.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 7—A Spaniard named Louis Guzman, who was stabbed by an Italian six weeks ago, and almost died, was arraigned in the police court to-day for giving Indian Annie whiskey. He was fined $50, costs and three months. Annie has got many into gaol. She has been ordered to leave town.

The report that the steamer Bushmills is out of the hands of the sheriff is not authentic. The cargo is being allowed to be discharged, but the ship is held as security for the claims of Victoria merchants. There is much talk of bonds being put up, but such has not as yet been done. The vessel is expected to sail to Nanaimo on Thursday or Friday.

The battery is to parade every night this week in expectation of an early inspectation by the officers from the East, now in Victoria. A poor turnout will be made as the accoutrements are very old and worn. Some will have to wear partly civilian clothing with their uniform.

The tennis club gave a lawn social yesterday evening. Many were present including some Vancouver players. The tournament for the season has now closed.

The eldest son of E. T. Wade, clerk of the Surrey Corporation, aged 15 years, killed a big black bear and two cubs on Friday with an old muzzle loading rifle. He fired only three shots and bagged the lot.

The steamer Delaware went on the old route up river to-day; her broken shaft has been repaired.

Final arrangements were made for a monster excursion by the Knights of Pythias from the Sound cities during the exhibition by rail and water.

A scratch cricket eleven has been picked to go to Ladner's Landing on Saturday to play a match there. The steam launch will take the following players: Newington, Hamilton, Sinclair, Powers, Malins, Roberts, Brett, Smith, Keightley, Oddy, H. Read. Umpire, Rennie.

DOCTOR LACHAPELLE

Quebec's Health Inspector, Inclined to Deal Strongly on Quarantine Matters.

Mining Disaster at Sudbury—Explanation of the White Squadron Scandal.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 7.—The conflict between federal and state authorities on the other side of the line over quarantine jurisdiction at the port of New York is having its counterpart on this side. The assertion of Dr. Lachapelle, chief of the board of health for the Province of Quebec, of his independent and supreme authority is resented by the officials here who point him to sec. 91 of the British North America Act, which confers on the Federal Government exclusive jurisdiction over quarantine. Dr. Lachapelle's threat if the Dominion authorities do not the Provincial will close the ports of Quebec and Montreal against all ships from infected countries immediately, has alarmed the owners of the steamship lines and vessels at Montreal and Quebec, and to-day they telegraphed to Ottawa asking that the Federal veto be put upon what they deem hasty and unnecessary action on the part of the provincial board of health.

That Flag Scandal.

MONTREAL, Sept. 7.—The shameful advertising dodge on the part of Mr. Nell Florence, business agent of the White Squadron Company, now at the Queen's Theatre, is fully explained by him in a letter to John A. Gros, of the Canadian secret service, as follows: Regarding the disturbance that took place at the Queen's theatre on Monday evening, a part of which was the tearing down of the American flag at the door, I beg to make the following statement: The whole transaction was done as an advertisement in connection with the White Squadron Co., and entirely divested of any intention to cause serious trouble of any kind, but as it seems to have given rise to considerable feeling, I am sincerely sorry that this advertising scheme was ever entered into, and regret very much that this occurrence took place. I make this statement to you of my own free will, and on condition that the government will not enter any criminal or civil proceedings of any kind against myself or any of the members of my company. Yours sincerely, (signed) Neil Florence.

Terrible Mine Accident.

SUDBURY, Ont., Sept. 7.—A fatal accident occurred at Blizzard mine yesterday afternoon. Five men were killed and two injured. The rescuers are working to recover the bodies. The names of the killed are Geo. Johnston, McDonald, Picard, McKinley and Fanglin.

In the accident at the Blizzard mine yesterday afternoon it is now known that there were five miners killed and many injured slightly. The falling debris has all been cleared away.

Want a Better Station.

QUEBEC, Sept. 7.—The Corporation of Pilots have written to L'Evenement, suggesting that another island should be purchased for a quarantine station, as it would be impossible to land at Grosse Isle wharf, even if it was lengthened.

VANCOUVER GOSSIP.

The Iron Works Bonus—Another Ambitious Municipality.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 7.—At a special council meeting this morning it was resolved to submit a by-law to the people granting the B. C. Iron Works company a bonus of $20,000, the company to take 4 per cent. debentures as cash equivalent.

The British barque Fernbank, Capt. Boyd, arrived this morning 134 days from Glasgow, bringing 2000 tons of iron pipes for the extension of the water works.

Burnaby is another district wishing to blossom into municipal existence. J. C. Armstrong, E. M. Mahon, John Wiffin and Alex Phillips left to-day to interview Attorney-General Davie to set forth the claims of the property owners there to be incorporated.

Murdered for His Money.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The man who was strangled in the woods at New Utrecht, L.I., has been identified, and it is believed the identity of the assassin has also been established. The victim was Lazarus Isaacstrat. He was identified by his landlady, Mrs. Emma Cillander, No. 109 East Broadway, this city. The victim was an immigrant of considerable means, who came across the ocean recently with a man who, it is believed, murdered him. His companion was a man of medium build, about 5 feet 7 inches in height. His skin was very light, his hair and eyes dark, and he had high cheek bones. He wore neither beard nor moustache, and was about 27 years of age and known as Solomon. A piece of rope similar to that found around Isaacstrat's neck was found in his room. This, and several letters which were found, are said to have an important bearing on the case. The police believe the old man was lured to the lonely spot where he was murdered on Saturday night.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Lafleche Wins the St. Leger—The Race Meeting Here To-Morrow Promises Well.

Dixon's Victory Over Skelly—To-Night's Great Battle—Wheeling and General Notes.

THE TURF.

The great fall race meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club opens to-morrow afternoon. The club have spared no efforts or expense to make this meeting equal to any on the coast, and the fine prizes offered and the large number of entries give promise of most exciting sport during the three days of the horse tournament. All the flyers in the province, and many from outside the province, are here, and in the hands of skilled trainers. With one or two exceptions it may be said that the horses are all in splendid condition for their speedy work. The trials have shown that excellent time will be made, but probably there will be surprises for many in the results, as there are some veritable "dark horses" in the crowd which may fool the connoisseurs very badly.

The tramway company, with their usual courtesy, have decided to put on two of their commodious and comfortable trailer cars, which will be drawn by the old reliable "hossflesh." They will travel up and down Fort street from Government street to the grounds as often as possible, and the fare will be ten cents. This service will commence at midday, and is expected to accommodate hundreds who intend to see the races.

There will be a goodly crowd of visitors from the provincial cities and the Sound to enjoy the races. The gathering is the most important of the kind in the province, and as such cannot fail to attract a very large attendance. There will be excellent music during the races, and light refreshments obtainable on the grounds for those who require the same.

The programme for the first day, to-morrow, is as follows:

First Race—Trotting and Pacing. For stallions owned in the Province six months previous to day of race. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse $200.—J. A. Sayward's Christmas, b.s., blue, (Hickey); Holeanshead's Harry Prentess, b.s., white, (Field); A. K. Munro's Storm, b.s., orange and black, (Reilly).

Second Race—Running. Half mile and repeat; open. Purse $200.—E. H. Roland's Johnnie Hooker, ches.s., orange and blue, (Roland); A. H. Knight's Johnnie Allan, b.g., black and orange; W. J. McKeon's Jr., Mayflower, b.m., blue and pink, (J. Millington); J. Payne's Shamrock, b.g., blue and white, (G. McGuire); Frank Campbell's Jim Murphy, b.g., red, white and blue, (D. Mitchell); G. W. Smith's Grey Dick, g.g., pink and green.

Third Race—Running. Mile and repeat. Purse, $300—Broadmead Farm's Marcelle, bl.m. true blue; F. Campbell's Jim Murphy, b.g., red, white and blue, (D. Mitchell); Mr. Garrison's Seal, b.s., blue and white, (W. Millington).

LAFLECHE WINS ST. LEGER.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Bulletin—In the St. Leger: Lafleche, first; Sir Hugo, second; Watercress, third.

THE RING,

PRAISED BY HIS MOTHER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—There was great joy in Brooklyn, and particularly in Williamsburg, yesterday. There was nothing talked of on the street corners, in the horse cars, hotels and saloons but the Pride of Williamsburg's defeat of the "Cyclone" from the Windy state. The mother of Jack McAuliffe, the victor in Monday night's fistic encounter, resides in a cosy flat in a brown stone front on South Ninth street, Brooklyn. A reporter called there yesterday morning, and was pleasantly received. Mrs. McAuliffe is a decided blonde and the likeness between the good-looking young pugilist and his mother is very striking. She said that friends had brought the news of Jack's victory to her on Monday night, as soon as the result was known. When asked, "Did you feel any uneasiness as to the result of the battle?" she answered without a trace of exultation in her voice, "Not the slightest; I was sure that Jack would win, and win as easily as he did. I received a dispatch from him at four o'clock this morning, in which he told me of his victory, and said he got off without a scratch." At these words the faintest suspicion of a smile flited about the corners of Mrs. McAuliffe's mouth. She continued, "I am opposed to this fighting business, and always have been, but, naturally, if Jack thinks he must fight, I am proud of his success, and most of all to read of his reputation for fair fighting and honest dealing. People tell me he makes friends and admirers everywhere he goes, and that is the way I want him to continue."

HOW HE DID IT.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 5.—There are few people in this city not talking about the manner in which pugilist McAuliffe defeated Meyer for the lightweight championship, and the whole lot of money lost last night. The general comment is that there was only one man in the fight. Even Meyer's closest friends admit that McAuliffe showed his superiority over Meyer, and they have no excuse to offer. McAuliffe and his friends are still in the midst of enthusiasm and say with justice that there is now left no foeman worthy of his fists unless it be Burge, the Englishman. That McAuliffe should have fought fifteen rounds with a man of such a reputation and backing as Meyer and come out victor without a scratch, is held to be a thing of wonder. His generalship in avoiding Meyer's noted right hand and the strength with which he whacked his man and floored him repeatedly, are subjects that Jack's friends dote upon. Meyer is very sore this morning, besides a black eye he bears many bruises on his body, and it will be several days before he is rid of all stiffness. The Streator lad gets full credit for his gameness, but as a front rank fighter his reputation is gone. It seems that more money changed hands on this fight than supposed. Monday quite a lot came down from Chicago, and when McAuliffe became the favorite that morning it was unloaded. The New Orleans residents were rather on Meyer's side. They had seen him fight twice before and liked him. They had never seen McAuliffe, but they now wish they had. McAuliffe says he will fight no more, but he always says that after a battle. No man is better pleased over his success than John L. Sullivan.

FINISHED IN EIGHT ROUNDS.

George Dixon, champion featherweight pugilist of the world, defeated Jack Skelly in eight rounds last night before the Olympic Club of New Orleans, for a purse of $20,000. Dixon had it all his own way from the beginning and was comparatively fresh when he knocked down his unfortunate opponent, who could not get up inside of the prescribed ten seconds. The same immense crowd was present as in the MacAuliffe-Myer fight. No other result than that announced above, was expected, the beaten man being, to all intents and purposes, an amateur. Many pugilistic judges considered it a mere farce to put such an untried lad before a young fellow who had beaten everybody in his class with ease. The result last night showed they were quite correct.

THE BATTLE TO-NIGHT.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—In the ring of the Olympic Club to-night the acknowledged champion of the pugilistic world will do battle for his honors. Either John L. Sullivan or James J. Corbett is destined before many hours to meet his first defeat, and the outcome of the contest is the subject of speculation the world over. The event marks the culmination of the most remarkable series of pugilistic events that has ever taken place, a series involving three world's championships and the immense total of $82,500; this sum, of course, being exclusive of outside bets. A political convention never caused more intense excitement than has prevailed here during the past three days, and the crowds that have thronged the hotels during that period have been almost as large as those that turn out at the quadrennial round-ups of the two great parties. Bulletins of the fight will be watched with eager interest in every large city or the United States, and within a few hours of the close of the mill the result will be known in every country in the world from England to Australia. The amount of money that has been staked on the result of the fight will never be known, but it is safe to say that it is far in excess of any amount ever before wagered on a single event, and will probably mount well up into the hundreds of thousands. Those who have seen Corbett say that Sullivan has the battle of his life on his hands, and that Corbett is the strongest man in everything that makes a good fighter that he has ever met from the time he knocked out Prof. Donaldson at Cincinnati, in 1880 to his victory over Kilrain at Richburg. Despite the Corbett talk, however, the odds are strongly in favor of the champion, and his defeat would be a matter of surprise to nine-tenths of the people who take any interest in sporting affairs. Sullivan is a little over a month short of thirty-four years of age, at which age an athlete of good constitution should be just in his prime. Ever since 1880 he has been prominently before the public, and the list of pugilists who have gone down before his sledge hammer blows since that time includes almost every well known heavy weight that has attained more than a local celebrity during that period. Corbett is but 26 years of age, and it was only a little over three years ago that he made his bow as a professional fighter on the occasion of his contest with Jack Burke, "The Irish Lad" in San Francisco. From that time to this he has never suffered defeat, and to-night he will enter the ring with an unspotted record. The rules governing the contest will be the same that have always prevailed in the Olympic arena, and which provide that every fight must be a stand up fight to a finish, and contains no provision for a draw. As long as one man is willing to fight the contest must proceed, and the authority of the referee ends with his adjudication of the rules. He has no discretionary power in the matter of draws. Both the Boston man and the Californian have burned their bridges behind them. They have each declared that they are in perfect condition, and that which ever way the battle goes the result will be accepted without excuse or explanation of any kind.

EXCITEMENT RUNS HIGH.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—Now that the combination of the three Jacks is broken it is a question among the sports "will the champion win?" McAuliffe and Dixon in their respective classes proved they were worthy bearers of the titles they now hold, and now the thing that lovers of pugilism want to see settled is whether John L. Sullivan, so long the champion of champions, will be able to retain his honor, or if they shall pass to younger shoulders. A large majority of the men assembled on the streets this afternoon talking of the big fight to-night, believe that the man from Boston will not only defeat the ambitious Californian, but beat him in a few rounds, anywhere from four to eight rounds. They are so confident of this result that they are betting that the big fellow will win inside of ten rounds, and are laying even money on it. The Corbett people are taking such offers with a good deal of avidity, but in small amounts only. Corbett's friends seem to have only small amounts to bet, either on rounds or on the grand result, especially the latter. A few bets of a hundred or two have been laid this morning at St. Charles Hotel, with Sullivan the favorite, but a wager that runs into the thousands has yet to be recovered. Some who bet that Sullivan will win in ten rounds generally concede he must do Corbett up within a short period, or he never will. The champion is in good form, no doubt, that is for a man who has led his style of life for years, but he is in his thirty-fourth year and he was very fat when he started in to train. He still has more flesh in the lower part of his abdomen than is

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CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

Bishop O'Mahoney, of Toronto, is dangerously ill.

The Ottawa banks refuse to accept United States money at par hereafter, and charge a half per cent. discount.

There are good prospects of saving the government steamer Newfield. She has been floated and taken to Hawkesbury.

The Allan line steamship Circassian, while proceeding from Quebec to Montreal, went aground 18 miles west of Quebec.

R. W. Phipps, Ontario forestry inspector, was thrown from his carriage in the roadway in Toronto and seriously injured.

The Chinese who were placed under arrest in Montreal, on charge of having smuggled opium in their rooms, have been released.

Andrew H. Knox, a prominent resident of St. Marys for 30 years, is dead. Miss Agnes Knox, elocutionist, is one of his daughters.

D. J. McIntyre, ex-M.P., has been appointed police magistrate for Lindsay, in place of Arthur O'Leary, left for parts unknown.

The dead body of James Brickenden, aged 60, was found in the basement of Wilson's Vinegar Works, Toronto, after a fire which caused a loss of $5000 had been extinguished.

A serious conflict of authority between the Dominion and the Province of Quebec is likely to arise owing to the assumption by the latter of the power to stop immigration.

The Hattie Maud, a United States fishing schooner, has been seized in the Bay of Fundy for an infraction of the fishing laws. She will be libelled in the Admiralty Court with a view to her confiscation.

Crop reports from all parts of Manitoba state that 90 per cent. of the grain is cut and threshing is in progress. The wheat is turning out well, but the average yield will not be up to former years, although wheat will grade higher.

The executive committee of the Dominion Millers' association has decided to suggest to the government the names of some members of the association for appointment as representatives on the examining board for fixing grain standards.

Mr. Walbran, chief astronomer of the Interior Department, has been appointed Canadian Commissioner to define the limit of the Alaska boundary. Mr. Mendenhall will be United States Commissioner. The first meeting will be held at Ottawa, after which the commission will proceed to the Pacific.

The Grand Trunk fast express from Chicago came into collision with a freight train at Jordan station, seven miles west of St. Catharines. The fireman of the express, James Roddon, jumped, but landing on the platform at the siding, he slipped and fell under the wheels, and his head and one leg were completely severed from his body.

Stewart, captain of the Capital Lacrosse team, from Ottawa, was arrested in Toronto on a charge of common assault on Warbrick, one of the Toronto players, during Saturday's match. Stewart's action caused a free fight on the field, and a posse of police had to interfere to save the Ottawa men from being roughly handled by the spectators.

Cornwall has been shocked by one of blackest murders ever committed in America. James McMahon, a former resident of the town, but absent for two years, shot and killed special constable J. R. Davy while undergoing arrest for shooting two other men, Antoine Lefesse and Antoine Lefevre. A quarrel over some money caused the trouble. Feeling is very high in the town, and trouble is feared.

The formal opening of Toronto's great annual industrial exhibition took place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the presence of the mayor, aldermen and a large assemblage. An address was presented to Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick, who made a suitable speech, after which Mrs. Kirkpatrick pressed an electric button, which set the entire machinery in the hall in motion. The exhibition was then declared open. It promises to be the most successful ever held by the association.

This year there are 1272 entries of horses for the Toronto exhibition, this being over 200 more than at any previous fair. They are from all over the Dominion, and include some magnificent animals. The number of entries in the cattle department this year is 9986, being considerably more than at any previous exhibition. It is believed that this is the largest number of horses ever entered at any fair in the world. One of the entries is a thoroughbred Arabian stallion. Among other entries are seven four-in-hands, seven tandems and ten professional coachmen.

The Toronto World, in an editorial on the Premiership, says: "As far as we can gather from the information at our disposal, we should say Sir John Thompson would prefer remaining second in command until the Manitoba school question is out of the way. That question, we know, will be settled by the House at its next session by a vindication of Manitoba's contention and the late decision of the Privy Council. If the Hierarchy, however, see fit, notwithstanding the certainty of how the decision will go, to press their views, Sir John Thompson will be very loth to take office, though should any reason arise, on account of which a new leader is required, he would not hesitate to step into the breach, no matter what the consequence might be."

Montreal post-office authorities have arranged to have all the French mails which arrive via New York fumigated. If necessary the English mails will be also fumigated. The order requiring the steamship Thorndale to return to quarantine has been revoked, she having obtained the required papers. The Provincial Board of Health has adopted regulations prohibiting immigrants or their effects from coming into the province; also the landing of boats from cholera infected districts, or boats on which cholera has broken out. The president of the Hebrew Benevolent Society has received a letter from the secretary of the Russo-Jewish committee, London, England, stating that no more Jewish emigrants will be sent to Canada this year.

The "White Squadron" was performed at Montreal by a New York opera troupe. In it there is a congress of admirals representing all nations. When the American admiral, with a squad bearing the stars and stripes, appeared, the audience in the gallery hissed him, and when he appeared before the curtain; with the other actors to acknowledge the applause missiles were thrown at him. The stars and stripes displayed with other flags in front of the theatre was pulled down and destroyed. The hauling down of the flag is stated to have been a fake concocted by the manager of the "White Squadron" company. Detective Grosse, who is working up the case on behalf of the proprietor of the theatre, states that he has an affidavit from one man saying he was paid to haul down the flag.

BANKER'S CONVENTION.

Meeting in San Francisco of the American Bankers' Association.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 6.—Nearly five hundred members of the American Bankers' Association were present when President William H. Rham called the seventeenth annual convention of that organization to order this morning. The convention will remain in session two days, and during that time papers will be presented by the foremost financiers of the country upon questions of interest to the banking and commercial world. Among the subjects to be discussed is the abolition of the three days of grace provided for in the laws of nearly every state of the Union, and it is probable that the Association will add the weight of its approval to the agitation for their repeal. Resolutions will also be passed in memory of the late John Jay Knox, for many years president of the National Bank of the Republic, of New York city, and who for some years past has been chairman of the governing body of the Association. The organization is one of the oldest and most conservative financial bodies in the country. The first convention of bankers ever held in the United States was immediately after the panic of 1837, but at this meeting no attempt was made to form a permanent organization. Conventions were also held immediately after the establishment of the national banks in 1865 and 1866, but it was not until 1875 that a permanent organization was formed. A convention held in the latter year at Saratoga, N.Y., was attended by over 300 bankers, representing 32 states and territories. Officers were chosen and addresses on the various grievances under which the banking interests of the country then labored were delivered. The organization was completed at a convention held on the Centennial grounds in October, 1876, with 182 delegates present, representing 28 states and territories. Since that date the association's history has been a record of increasing membership and prosperity.

Callers for Cleveland.

BUZZARD BAY, Mass., Sept. 7.—Ex-President Cleveland to-day had two unexpected callers. They were ex-Lieut.-Governor James Jeffreys of Louisiana, and Mr. Phillip Barton Key, of North Carolina. Mr. Jeffreys is spending the summer at Narragansett Pier and Mr. Key at Chatham, and their call was more of social than of a political nature. Mr. Jeffreys, who is a member of the National Democratic Committee, said that Louisiana would probably cast its electoral vote for Cleveland and the People's Party, which has quite a following, and it may endanger the two congressional districts in the northern part of the state, where the party is strongest. The People's Party had no apparent existence until six months ago, when it polled about seven thousand votes. They claim they will poll 26,000 votes in November, but Mr. Jeffreys doubts if it will reach 10,000. Mr. Cleveland was shown a report which stated that he was to attend a rally and speak on October 10 at Bloomingdale. He will not be present on that occasion.

A New Military Loan.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—A Berlin correspondent says he believes Chancellor von Caprivi will introduce a military bill in Parliament early in 1893 to raise 70,000,000 marks, required by the army, by increased taxation on beer and tobacco. The Chancellor will not venture to ask for a state monopoly in these articles, but will raise the import duties on them and will forbid the domestic cultivation of tobacco. If such action is taken by the government it will provoke serious opposition on the part of small farmers in Southern Germany.

Mrs. Mary Asten

of Lewisburg, Pa., suffered untold agony from **broken varicose veins**, with intense itching and burning. On the recommendation of a physician she took

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Said That His Armour Plate Will Shiver Like Glass Before Cannon.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 7.—W. W. Erwin, Minnesota lawyer sent by the labor unions of this State to aid in the defence of the locked-out men at Homestead, returned to-day and brought with him a sensation. He said: "Beyond the Homestead emeute lies a foul conspiracy. The men who made the rolled armour plate told me that the cost of the plate was only about forty dollars a ton, while the Government pays the Carnegie people $60 a ton; a profit of over $350,000 to Carnegie on his six thousand ton contract. And the men tell me that the test plates were manufactured of a mixture of aluminum worth 60 cents a pound, and so stood the Government tests, but that the delivered armour was of rolled steel, which, the men claim, will shiver like glass before the testing guns of the Government. This must be investigated, and the patriotic courts of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is the proper place to test the truth of the emeute, and locate the conspiracy against justice and the public weal."

Behring Sea Arbitration.

ROME, Sept. 6.—The selection of the Marquis Emilio Viscount Venosta as Italian member in the Behring Sea arbitration commission, is believed to give satisfaction to both the British and United States legations. It is said the gentleman has large information, and is a good lawyer, being without political aspirations. The Italian Government has been much embarrassed by the choice of an arbitrator. According to the last communications between the two governments, the arbitration is to be held in Paris. The discussions may be made in French, but as all the documents relative to the subject are to be written in English, it is imperative that all the members should be acquainted with English. It has been difficult to find among the great lawyers in Italy one who understands English, and one who could accept the position. It is generally believed that Marquis Venosta, who has had experience in public matters, understands English, and is the best selection that could be made for rendering an impartial judgment on the question involved.

Took a Terrible Oath.

COAL CREEK, Tenn., Sept. 5.—Word was brought into Camp Carnes yesterday by a man who is deemed trustworthy, that between 300 and 400 miners met at Jellico last night, and after hearing reports from their scouts, took a terrible oath to wipe out Coal Creek and Oliver Springs before next Saturday. Their plan is to first release the convicts at Oliver's and then make an attack on Coal Creek.

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	Ar. 12.25 P M	Ar. 8.30 P M	78
	" 12.10 "	" 7.06 "	77½
	" 12.10 "	" 7.48 "	77½
	" 11.55 A M	" 6.58 "	75
	" 11.30 "	" 6.38 "	68
	" 10.50 "	" 6.27 "	67
	" 10.27 "	" 6.15 "	63
	" 10.17 "	" 6.05 "	58
	" 10.13 "	" 6.00 "	55
	" 10.06 "	" 5.52 "	52
	" 9.55 "	" 5.42 "	49
	" 9.35 "	" 5.15 "	43
	Dp. 8.25 "	Ar. 5.00 "	19
	Ar. 8.10 "	Dp. 4.45 "	0

NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Friday Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.
	Dp. 8.00 A M	Dp. 3.04 P M	0
	" 8.04 "	" 3.16 "	1
	" 8.14 "	" 3.16 "	1
	" 8.34 "	" 3.35 "	11
	" 9.07 "	" 4.05 "	28
	" 9.24 "	" 4.27 "	31
	" 9.44 "	" 4.37 "	38
	" 34 "	" 4.49 "	40
	" 10.07 "	" 4.59 "	49
	" 10.13 "	" 5.04 "	52
	" 10.43 "	" 5.22 "	63
	Ar. 11.00 "	" 5.40 "	69
	Dp. 11.50 "	" 5.49 "	88
	Ar. 12.14 P M	Ar. 6.22 "	93

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	Lv	45	...Kingston...	41	Lv	
3 00 am	Lv	49	..Port Gamble..	21	Lv	11 00 am
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CANADA'S INDUSTRIES.

Conclusion of the Summary Given by the Recent Census Bulletin

Following is the conclusion of the census bulletin report on Canadian industries, part of which was given yesterday:—

FOUNDRIES AND MACHINE SHOPS.

In the foundries and machine shops of Ontario, in 1891, there were 6161 employes receiving $2,520,560, equal to $409 per employe for the year. In 1881 the employes received an average of $372.

The full time employes in 1891 received $411 per annum.

It is plain, therefore, that this industry was active and that the wages increased by about 13 per cent.

CABINET MAKING.

In the case of cabinet and furniture manufacturing there were in 1891 in Ontario 4709 employees receiving a yearly average wage of $356. The full time employees, numbering 4459, received $343.

In 1881 the average wages was $292. These figures show an increase of 15 per cent in average wages paid.

BLACKSMITHING.

Blacksmithing in Ontario employed 5208 men and 113 persons other than men, making a total of 5321 employees according to the census of 1891. The average wages these received amounted to $266 per annum. The full wages averaged $300. In 1881 the average wages paid was $234, showing that in 1891 there had been an increase of over per cent in the average amount of ages received by each employee.

A VARIETY OF INDUSTRIES.

The report concludes as follows:—In variety of industries the census returns of 1881 and 1891 show that in the province of Ontario in 1891 there were 257 different kinds of industries, and 139 in 188 That in the province of Quebec there were 213 against 145 in 1881; in Nova Scotia, 139 against 99; in New Brunswick, 131 against 88; in Manitoba, 75 against 39; in British Columbia, 75 against 51; in Prince Edward Island, 69 against 50, and in the Northwest Territories, 35 against 11. SLABTOWN.

FORMALLY TAKEN OVER.

Centennial Methodist Church Now the Property of the Congregation

A few evenings ago the trustees of the Centennial Methodist church met for the purpose of formally taking over the church building from architect Thomas Hooper. All the accounts against the church, including the extras, were brought in. It was found that the latter did not reach the sum of $200. The church was then formally taken over, and a unanimous vote of thanks tendered to the architect for his excellent work. It is remarkable to have got the building through with such a small bill of extras.

The trustees of the church propose doing something which is likely to meet with the commendation of everyone in Victoria. The original contractor of their building bid too low and was forced to give up the work. His bondsmen took hold of the contract and completed it. The church paid over the contract price, but there are still outstanding bills against the contractor for material furnished to the sum of $2000 or $3000. The church is not legally or morally obgated to pay these bills, but the trustees propose to pay them all nevertheless. The matter will be submitted to the congregation for approval at an early date, and it is expected that every member of the church will assent to the trustees' proposition.

MASTIFF AND SERPENT.

A Desperate Battle in Which the Snake Came Off Second Best.

From the Indian Daily News.]

A most exciting fight between a bull mastiff and a snake about four feet five inches long, apparently of the dhamin species, was witnessed early one morning by a number of persons residing in a house in Entally. The gentleman in whose house the occurence took place keeps a large poultry yard, and the snake, intending, no doubt, to make a meal of one of the fowls or ducks, was stealthily crawling into the yard when the birds, scenting an enemy, began to crow and cackle and flutter about in their alarm. The snake had just caught a duck when the bull mastiff, attracted by the noise, came running to the spot, sprang upon the snake and seized it close to the head. Acting on the defensive now, the snake released the duck, and coiling itself round its antagonist endeavored to crush it. It compelled the dog to roll over, but the latter refused to quit his hold, while with his hind paws he struggled to tear the coils off him. This he partly succeeded in doing and regained his feet, but the reptile once more coiled round him, and it appeared now as if the dog would be strangled, the folds of the snake forming a double ring round his neck.

The wriggling of the snake and the frantic struggle of the dog were now almost terrible, and were all the more intensely watched from the fact that no help could be rendered to the plucky dog, who never relaxed his grip. Both combatants rolled over a second time, and continued struggling for fully five minutes, while the dog pawed up the ground all round, and at last managed to make a slit about a span long in the skin of the snake by means of his claws. This was the beginning of the end. The dog once more threw off the coils and rose to his feet. Releasing his grip for a moment, he made a dash at the head of the snake, and completely crushed it. Having disabled the snake so far, he tore the snake's body till the reptile was disemboweled. After a severe contest extending over a quarter of an hour, the brave dog gained a complete victory. Strange to relate, the mastiff, with the exception of a large swelling in the inside of his mouth, sustained no injury, and appears to be doing well.

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Notes from Golden.

The Canadian Pacific has offered to carry free and to exhibit in its London office any specimens of minerals that East Kootenay miners may wish to send.

Tom Haggarty's shack, situated near the Golden saloon, was burned on Sunday morning. Much damage would have been done if the wind had been higher. Some people suspect incendiarism.

The mining development in the McMurdo basin, under the financial management of the Messrs. Woods and practical care of Mr. P. Lambrick, is turning out well, and exceeds the most sanguine expectations. It is probable that work on Canal Flat will be commenced at an early date.

The Duchess will from August 31st leave Golden at 7 a.m., instead of 12:30 p.m., on account of the falling of Columbia. This week we have had a slight snow fall on the distant heights.

Only a Dozen Left.

The smallpox question is shrinking to an extremely small measure day by day. The health officer up to this afternoon could muster only a round dozen of invalids, all on the broad road to early recovery. The report was as follows:

JUBILEE HOSPITAL QUARANTINE,
Midnight, Sept. 6.

Number of cases, Sept. 5, p. m. . . . 12
No. of cases in hospital, Sept. 6, p.m. 12

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The Coming Show.

Mr. Wm. Lorimer, who went over to the Mainland to attend to the advertising for the B. C. Agricultural Society's Exhibition, came home yesterday. He says a great deal of interest is being taken in the show by the people of the cities and districts of the Mainland. A large number of exhibits will be sent down and a great many will be here during exhibition week. The Island farmers will have to do their best to keep up their end.

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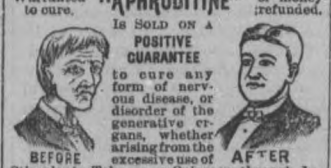

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TITLE OF BY-LAW.	Date of reconsideration and final passage.	Extent of Repeal.
Consolidated Officers Remuneration By-Law, 1886	16 June, 1886	The whole by-law
Consolidated Officers Remuneration Amendment By-Law, 1888	21 March, 1888	The whole by-law
Consolidated Officers Remuneration Amendment By-Law, 1889	27 March, 1889	The whole by-law
Consolidated Officers Remuneration By-Law (amended), 1889	14 Aug., 1889	The whole by-law
Water Commissioners By-Law, 1887	31 Aug., 1887	The whole by-law
Water Commissioner Amendment By-Law, 1889	11 Sept., 1889	The whole by-law
The Police Magistrate and Legal Advisers, Appointment By-Law, 1888, Amendment By-Law, 1891	12 Aug., 1891	The whole by-law
Bank Credit By-Law, 1889	27 Feb. 1889	The whole by-law
A by-law respecting the expenditure of the Municipal revenue for the year 1889	13 March, 1889	The whole by-law
The Assistant Assessors By-Law, 1889	14 June, 1889	The whole by-law
Fire Department By-Law, 1885	2 Dec., 1885	Section 6.
Fire Department Amendment By-Law, 1889	14 Aug., 1889	Section 1.
Municipal Election Regulation By-Law, 1890	26 Dec., 1889	The whole by-law
Bank Credit By-Law, 1890	5 Feb., 1890	The whole by-law
A by-law respecting the expenditure of the Municipal revenue for the year 1890	12 Feb., 1890	The whole by-law
By-law respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890	30 July 1890	The whole by-law
Commissioners of Sewers Appointment By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890	18 Dec., 1890	The whole by-law
Bank Credit By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890	10 Sept., 1890	The whole by-law
Beacon Hill Park Commissioner Appointment By-Law, 1890	10 Sept., 1890	The whole by-law
Municipal Election Regulation By-Law, 1891	2 Jan., 1891	The whole by-law
Estimates By-Law, 1891	14 Feb., 1891	The whole by-law
The Streets Commissioner Appointment By-Law, 1891	5 June, 1891	The whole by-law
The Assessment Roll By-Law, 1891	11 June, 1891	The whole by-law
Bank Credit Amendment By-Law, 1891, No. 2	5 Oct., 1891	The whole by-law
The Land Improvement Rate By-Law, 1891	5 Oct., 1891	The whole by-law

Passed the Municipal Council the 10th day of August, 1892.

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The Daily Times

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The good Quaker poet whose birth is recorded to-day has long outlived the allotted span of human life. Nearly three-score years and ten have rolled by since he first saw the light, and the boy that a man of to-day would have to long years to reach the borders of old age is now a strong testimony to the value of honest habits and temperate living. Whittier's life and his poetry were both beautified thus, those of which any other of the well known angelic Stephens, transparent as crystal, excited enthusiasm, were, owing to his fellow men and to subsequent years of freedom, and those he followed from his Puritan and Quaker ancestors, lost all those stern traits from his nature with unvarying gentleness. Throughout his early life on his father's farm he was torn and tossed between the strong enough to make him a public character, in which capacity he was to the end of his days, and without much regard to his own interests. The severe training of his youth showed itself in both the manner and the matter of many of Whittier's poems, some of them have even now a historical value as being the only contemporary account of certain phases of New England life. His poor circumstances withheld him not only a liberal education in the time but very much in the way of poetic vision, giving many of the best of his non-political lyrics. It is safe to predict that Whittier will not be forgotten in literature as many writers of the hotter quarrels and commotions of political life have been and are likely to be. There is room in his poetry that cannot be crowded by the commonest matters that are themes are there to warm and cheer the people take as nutriment. And that Whittier has achieved immortality and loved from the highest previous of the living days, there remains only three Wendell Holmes of the bright quartette that can claim so much for American literature. On the 17th of last month Dr. Holmes celebrated his 89th birthday, and it cannot be long in the course of nature, before all the Iowa an tuneful brethren.

THOSE HIDDEN ROCKS

The Ottawa authorities have acquitted Captain Gaudin of blame in connection with the Quadra's mishap. The court of inquiry established the facts that the chart was misleading and that the captain took all the precautions that could be considered necessary, so there was evidently no ground for censure. But can the Ottawa Government acquit itself of censurable negligence in the case, since it has frequently been shown that the chart is unreliable, and no attempt has been made to correct it? The discovery of unmarked rocks in frequented channels by running valuable vessels on against them is a very expensive method. If the money spent on the repairs to the Quadra and that yet to be expended on account of the Warspite's injuries had been devoted to hydrographic work in the channels where those vessels met with their accidents, it would very likely have resulted in the discovery of the two unmarked rocks, and possibly some others. The two vessels would also have been saved a considerable amount of wear and tear which the repairs will hardly make good, however efficiently they may be executed. It would surely be wise economy on the part of the Dominion Government and the British Admiralty to combine their forces and make such a survey of British Columbia waters as would secure the correction of the defective chart and avoid all such accidents in future. As matters stand, it is apparently quite possible that within the next few years they may spend more money in vessel repairs than would pay for the cost of a survey many times over.

THE BRITISH NAVY

An Interesting Comparative Statement for 1898 and 1802.

Army and Navy Journal.

From a memorandum of lord we cull the following statement of our naval resources at that date:

By the official navy list we find that the British navy consists of 331 vessels, including seven steamers of every description, exclusive of which there are 155 gun boats, 121 brigs, hulks, &c., employed in harbor service and 41 coast guard tenders.

Of the number of vessels composing the navy 344 are in commission, and are distributed as follows: 93 line of battle ships, frigates, sloops and gun boats attached to the East Indies and China stations, 21 on the coast of Africa, 6 at Australia, 12 in the Pacific, 3 in the Straits, 3 on the southern coast of America, 8 at the Cape of Good Hope, 21 on the North America and West India station, 41 in the Mediterranean, 19 attached to the Channel squadron, and the remaining 113 are employed on particular service or attached as guard ships to the principal ports in Great Britain and Ireland.

In addition to the above, there are 38 powerful vessels building at the various royal dockyards, many of which are nearly ready for launching.

For the purpose of comparison, we give a similar statement of our naval resources from the official Naval List issued for July, 1802:

The navy consists of 241 vessels, including 104 ships in reserve, building or fitting at dockyard, or completing, but exclusive of 20 coast defence gunboats, yachts, brigs, etc., and 36 hulks employed in training or harbor service, and the coastguard cruisers.

The ships in commission are 134 in number, and are distributed as follows: Ten to the East Indies, 20 on the China station, 14 on the Cape of Good Hope, East African rivers or west coast of Africa stations, 12 in Australian waters, 8 in the Pacific, 4 in the Brazils, 6 on the south-east coast of America, 12 on the North America and West India stations, 28 in the Mediterranean, 8 in the Channel squadron, 6 in the training squadron, and 17 on particular or surveying service.

There are also building in the public yards or by private contract vessels.

Merely looking at the mere point of numbers, there is a diminution in effective or quasi-effective vessels of more than one-half; 241 now as against 518 then. There are also 77 vessels less in commission, the decrease on the various stations being: in the East Indies and China, 35 vessels; on the coasts of Africa and the ape, 12 vessels; in the Pacific, 5; on the southeast of America, 8; in the West Indies and North America, 9; in the Mediterranean, 14; in the Channel squadron, 8; at home or on particular service, 23. Remembering that our responsibilities have increased everywhere, it would be interesting if some one would explain why a smaller number of vessels are now supposed to be able to cope with the work that was considered necessary in 1802.

Life Insurance Statistics.

The fifty three life assurance companies transacting exclusive business in the United States in 1897 disbursed in that year $144,557,42, an increase of $10,342,097 over 1896. Of this large sum the policyholders received $97,020,344, as against $90,015,5 of the previous year. The death claims absorbed $35,827,086; $8,491,000 was paid for matured endowments, annuitats received $2,001,-147, lapse, surrendered, and purchase policies took $18,38,387, and $14,963,859 was divided among the policyholders as dividends. The disbursements of the companies other than payments to policyholder reached $47,581,-389, apportions as follows: Stockholders' dividends, $648,740; commissions and expenses of agents, $20,952,193; salaries, medical fees, and other charges to employes, $6,200,217; taxes, licenses and fines, $2,535,195; all other expenses, $8,983,890; profit and loss account, $730,220. It is satisfactory to note that, while an increase is again shown in the expense account, it is smaller than for the past few years. In 1896 the expenses increased over $2,000,000 as compared with the previous year, while in 1897 the increase was only $1,000,000, although a larger business was written. With the reforms that have been taken during the current year the expense account will probably show up still better in the 1898 results.

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VICTORIA'S DEFENCES.

The Military Party Carefully Inspect the Environs of the City.

Minister Bowell, General Herbert and Capt. Wemyss have about completed the work which brought them to Victoria, and will, in the morning take their departure from Victoria. Capt. Wemyss, whose time is very limited, may leave this evening for the east. While he feels that he would like to continue the trip through the province with the party, he has other duties that demand his attention. Minister Bowell and General Herbert and their parties will board the Government steamer Quadra in the morning and go to Nanaimo. They will, after their work is concluded there, go a little further up the east coast of the island. They then go to Vancouver, and later to Westminster. From there the trip homeward will begin. It is probable that General Herbert will make a stop in the Northwest to visit some of the horse ranges to ascertain the quality of horses now being raised there. Some years ago a British officer visited the territories and examined the horses and reported them to be unsuitable for use in the army. Since then the breed has been improved, and it is desired to see just what change has been effected. The animal suitable for cavalry purposes is one in which speed and endurance are combined with good looks.

To-day General Herbert is at C battery, completing the inspection of the post. The barracks will be visited and other things inspected that were not seen before. The only work remaining for Minister Bowell is to receive the delegates and petitions on behalf of the infantry and Highland Scotch corps, which it is proposed to apply for. This will be between 3:30 and 4 o'clock this afternoon. He will meet the delegates at his rooms in the Driard Hotel.

A TIMES man had a few minutes' chat with Mr. Bowell this morning. Said the minister: "There is not much to say to you. We finish here to-day, and take our leave in the morning. We went all over Esquimalt harbor, and climbed around the hills overlooking the outer harbor and straits yesterday. It was a good, sturdy climb, I assure you. Yes, we have enjoyed our trip. We will soon be headed for "hum," as the Yankee says.''

This evening at the Hotel Dallas the party will be banquetted by the officers of the B.C.B.G.A. The menu will be elaborate, and no doubt the hospitality of the officers will be appreciated.

At the Track.

Most of the horses at the Driving Park were given their final winding up to-day and all went well. Shamrock is the most improved horse on the grounds. He will bear watching in all his races. Mayflower will be another that will open the eyes of those that think she is not "in it;" she is as fine as silk. Ada, in the Derby, should start as the favorite. She is coming up every day and is an extra fine mover and will go the route in good shape. Ilex has a very hard race before her. Victoria will show up well, and they will have to keep moving to beat her. Marcelle is the animal though that will keep them all guessing; she will be a very hard one to beat. She moves like machinery and has the strength and breeding to carry her through. The trot for stallions should be a gift for Storm. The light rainfall has laid the dust on the track and improved it.

Happily Wedded.

This morning at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral Mr. Arthur Shepherd, of New Westminster, was married to Miss Letitia, daughter of Mr. John Sandes, of Clapham, England, by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of friends of the groom. Miss Sandes is the daughter of one of the most prominent men in the Irish National party, and is only a few days out from England. The happy couple received hearty congratulations from their friends and leave this evening for a short trip down the Sound and thence home to New Westminster.

The Adelphi Sewer.

Work on the sewer to connect the Adelphi building with the Johnson street sewer began to-day. The sewer will run along Government street from Yates street to Johnson street. Contractor Mayo was the lucky bidder and secured the work.

It is not generally understood that this sewer is a part of the regular system, and all persons along the line of it can connect their drains. The owners of the Adelphi and Young buildings are building it with the understanding that the city take it over as soon as they obtain the money. The Driard sewer was built on the same understanding.

Moonlight on Saturday.

The excursion on the steamer Joan Saturday evening under the auspices of the Centennial Methodist church is likely to be very well patronized. The postponement on Monday night necessitated by the rain was regretted by many who had planned to go. Good weather is earnestly hoped for on the evening of the excursion.

Troublesome Grass Fires.

Hose Company No. 3 has been at work nearly all day to-day on a grass fire out on the Work estate. It is not known whether any damage has been done by the fire. It is likely that assistance would have been asked were any property in danger of destruction.

Convention of Fire Chiefs.

Chief Tom Deasy is expected back from his trip to Portland to attend the convention of fire chiefs on Saturday. He will no doubt bring news that British Columbia was fully recognized in the title of the organization.

Gone Home.

Georgie Victoria, aged seven years, the only child of Geo. H. and Mrs. Lent, died yesterday afternoon. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Licensing Court.

The licensing court will meet at the City Hall next Wednesday. There are several applications for new licenses to deal with, and a number of applications for transfers.

A New Case of Smallpox.

One new case of smallpox was reported this afternoon.

Found at last a cure for dyspepsia K. D. C., guaranteed to cure. To be had from your druggist, or Beckwith Thompson & King, agents for B. C. *

Going North.

D. Carmody and party will leave for the north end of the island on the Danube. This is Mr. Carmody's last trip this fall in this direction.

For Organization.

A meeting of the Moral Reform Association will be held on Friday evening at the Y.M.C.A. Hall. The object of the meeting is to organize.

Another Excursion.

The steamer Islander has been chartered by the Y.M.C.A. for an excursion to Seattle on the 24th inst. A large number will undoubtedly take advantage of the occasion to visit Seattle.

Pleasures in Store.

The social to be given next Wednesday evening by the Young Ladies' Institute gives promise of being a very pleasing affair. The young ladies are making every preparation to receive their many friends in a fitting manner.

Absent on Business.

H. E. Connon, agent of the N.P. line of China steamers, left this morning for a trip to Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo, on business for his company. Mr. Connon is already well liked here by all who have met him.

The Wrong Man.

It was R. E. Cooper, and not J. M. Maurice, who presented the two etchings to the James Bay Athletic Association last week, as stated in the TIMES. The matter was confounded with something of a different nature and was, of course, wrong.

The Chemical Works.

Mr. Moore, who came here with the intention of building chemical works, has just about decided upon a site near the outer wharf. He could not find a suitable water front lot any further from the city. He has recently been examining the kelp on the beaches to see what quantity of iodine it contains.

Pleasure in Store.

The Busy Bees' concert, to be held in St. John's Sunday school room this evening, promises to be an enjoyable affair. The following ladies and gentlemen will take part:—Mr. and Mrs. Temple, Mr. W. J. Twiss, Miss Twiss, Miss Mercie Twiss, Mrs. Belyea, Mr. Newling, Mr. Wollaston, Mrs. Janion, Miss Lawson, Mr. Keith.

A Big Yield.

More hay and grain will come down from the Fraser river valley this year than ever before. The farmers of the valley have purchased 150,800 grain sacks, which represent about 7000 tons of grain and it is estimated that they have 10,000 tons of hay. A large portion of both the hay and grain will come to Victoria, and the C. P. N. Co. have therefore put the steamer Louise on the route to handle it.

Another Fine Excursion Promised.

The C.O.O.F. lodges of the city have decided to run an excursion to New Westminster to the Exposition on Wednesday, Sept. 21. They have chartered the steamer Islander and she will leave here at midnight on the night of Sept. 20. This will give those who attend 10 hours at the Exposition. The lodges will participate in the parade at New Westminster on that day.

The Police Court.

Two old-time offenders, both men of 50 years of age or more, were up in the police court this morning. One of them, Jewell Timms, was up on suspicion of having stolen some small articles; and the other, John Demming, was charged with vagrancy. The former was discharged and the latter convicted and sentenced to one month. A Chinaman, charged with shooting within the city limits, was fined $1.

MacArthur-Forrest Process.

A private letter from Golden, where the MacArthur-Forrest process of gold extraction is being tested on a large scale, says that a large quantity of refractory ore from Sultana Island, Lake of the Woods, has been treated very successfully. Eighty-five per cent. of gold, and seventy per cent. of silver were recovered. Excellent results are being obtained from ores from all parts of the province.

New Offices Contemplated.

It is probable that the Northern Pacific Railway and Steamship Companies will lease two of the stores in the new Adelphi block and fit them up as offices. It is desirable that the agents of the two companies should have offices near to one another, and the Adelphi building offers them a good opportunity to do so. If the arrangement is completed the N.P. Railway, Express and Steamship Companies and the P. S. & A. Steamship Company's offices will be in the same building.

The Russian Seizures.

In discussing the seizure of the sealing schooners by the Russians a great many bring forward an argument that but one side of the story is in the possession of the public. This is not the fact, as Collector Milne has the affidavits of the sealing captains and the Russian authorities. The statements contained in the affidavits differ very little as regards the distance the schooners were from land. The Russians admit that the schooners were between 25 and 40 miles from shore.

First Regiment Band Concert.

Theodore Wagner, of Seattle, leader of the First Regiment Band of that place, was in the city last evening for the purpose of getting dates for a couple of concerts during the coming exhibition. He would like to be given an opportunity to play two concerts during the exhibition days. He called upon W. H. Ellis and laid his proposition before him. The matter will be placed before the association. The band is an excellent one, being entirely professional and the two concerts would be therefore probably much enjoyed.

SATURDAY NEXT.

Only Five Days More.

All things have an end, and the cheap sale of the Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Co., is drawing near a close. Five days more and the EXTRAORDINARY value will cease. Intending purchasers be wise; take time by the forelock; be sure to procure some of the lovely carpets, handsome furniture and upholstery, at the reduction prices. Remember the address, 66 Government.

Sheffield cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

ALONG THE DOCKS.

Shipping Intelligence of Interest in Short Paragraphs.

Steamer Maude left for Esquimalt to-day with naval stores. She will take a load of freight to Nanaimo to-morrow.

The tug Active passed up this morning with a big three-masted schooner in tow, bound for Hastings mill to load lumber.

The Mud Lark dredge is being put in order to continue work in the outer harbor. The weather will be favorable for the work during the next two or three months.

One of the morning papers published a dispatch from Nanaimo this morning that the steamer Princess Louise had run aground in Newcastle Channel and could not get off until to-morrow. The Louise was beached in Newcastle Channel for repairs and to be cleaned. The Louise will go to the Fraser River to load grain and salmon for Victoria when the cleaners are finished with her.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

A saloon keeper will appear in the police court to-morrow to answer to the charge of assaulting a boy.

There was the faintest suspicion of frost on the dewy grass this morning, but the first ray of the sun caused it to vanish.

There is a drain emptying into James Bay near the foot of Menzies street, and it throws off a decidedly unpleasant odor. The public passing that way within the past few days have complained of the stench.

Gentlemen who try to poke up the caged animals at the Park with their walking canes need not be surprised if they have five bony digits thrust down the back of their necks and get a sudden and paralyzing twist away from bars. That is the park keeper doing his duty in a mild way. Some of these pokers were at the Park yesterday but the park keeper did not see them.

PEOPLE.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

Robert Dalglish, Montreal, is at the Victoria.

Geo. B. Martin, M.P.P., of Yale, is in the city.

John Cochrane went to the Sound last evening.

D.J. Munn, of New Westminster, is at the Driard.

Supt. Wilson, of the C.P.R. telegraphs, is in town.

Mrs. G. Bridges is very sick, and in St. Joseph's hospital.

A. Gilmore came home from the Mainland last evening.

Col. Merrill, of the Standard Oil Co., went to Seattle last night.

Col. Richard Nevins was a passenger on the Kingston last night.

E. H. Suthog, a San Francisco commercial man, is at the Victoria.

"Soapy" Woods, the best known drummer in Canada, is in the city.

Howard Hanna, a San Francisco commercial man, is in the city and is at the Victoria.

Judge W. H. Tuck, of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, arrived from the East last night.

Daniel Jones and John Arni, two Nanaimo miners, left yesterday for Osage, Kansas, to engage in similar work.

C. J. Eddy and Joe Casey, of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, who paid Victoria a flying visit yesterday, left for the Sound on the City of Kingston last evening.

Not Yet Heard From.

Another day has passed and nothing has been heard of the steam schooner Mischief, which went to the West Coast two weeks ago. The friends of those on board are beginning to feel a little anxious about the vessel. Still there seems to be nothing to fear as to her safety. There has been no rough weather, and the slightest mishap may delay her.

One in Three Years.

A little party were discussing heights at the custom house this afternoon, and Mong Kow, the Chinese interpreter, said that in three years he had only taken the height of one Chinaman six feet tall. He says that the fellow was built in proportion, too. Tall Chinamen are as scarce as hens' teeth.

Excursion to Angeles.

The steamer Joan has been chartered to run to Port Angeles next Sunday. She will leave Janion's wharf at 9:30 on Sunday morning. She will go to Port Townsend and thence to Port Angeles, leaving the latter place for Victoria at 5 in the afternoon. The fare for the round trip has been placed at $1.

Waiting for the Logs.

Nothing towards the formal transfer of the Sayward mill to the Northey syndicate has been done. The logs are being brought in by the tug Hope, and two booms are still to come. Until they are here work will be delayed. The Hope goes after one of the booms to-night.

Inspection of Arms.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon General Herbert visited the armory of the B.C. B.G.A., temporarily located in the market building. He simply went through the different rooms inspecting the property of the batteries. He spent half or three-quarters of an hour in the building.

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As Eli Perkins Sees Japan.

As the beautiful "Empress of China" sailed out of Victoria for Japan and China I asked John, our cabin boy, about the weather in Yokohama in May.

"Yokohama no muchee hot—no muchee cold—jus lightee—all same Flancisco."

"How do you like the Japanese, John?"

"My no likee. He allie samee Chinaman jonce, now he half Flenchman."

John was about right. Fifteen years ago the Japanese and Chinese were very much alike. They had similar alphabets, similar idea characters, similar language; both wore queues and both worshipped Buddha. Both nations raised and wore silk, ate rice and tabooed animal food. Both had inspired Emperors, invisible to the people, whom they worshipped.

What a change!

While the Chinese have stood still the Japanese have leaped from barbarism to civilization.

This is what Japan has done. She has licensed Christianity, founded colleges and seminaries, established a splendid postal system, cut off queues, abolished feudalism, prohibited sword wearing, compelled vaccination, prohibited tattooing and discouraged dyeing teeth black, built railroads all over the Empire, established lighthouses, laid submarine cables and supplied its army with European uniform, rifled cannon and breech loaders. The old invisible Mikado has become a visible Emperor, and often I see him and his wife dressed in modern English or American clothes riding through the streets of Tokio in an English brougham. The Emperor and court circles have changed every custom. A Japanese lady now might walk down Fifth avenue without being noticed.

This change is in Court Circles. The common people of Japan are slower to move. They cannot get over prejudices of two centuries all at once. While five millions of the brainy people of Japan have accepted these changes, thirty-five millions are hanging back. These are the old China-Japan customs they hold on to: Women wear trousers and men wear skirts; men wash clothes and make dresses and women saw wood; they read books backward, put on white for mourning, begin dinner with fruit and sweetmeats, while women ride horses astride, black their teeth and shave off their eyebrows. They hitch horses' tails to the manger and shoe them with straw instead of iron. The old Japanese compass points to the south, ours to the north. The Japanese shaves his head while we shave the face. We pay doctors for sickness, they for health. We worship our mothers, the Japanese despise mother and worship father. The Japanese tailor sews from him and holds his thread between his toes. He shakes hands with himself. Boys nurse children and fathers spin tops and fly kites. We take off our hats to show respect while the Japanese takes off his shoes. The rich go bareheaded and the poor wear hats. We wear clothes for pride while the Japanese go naked for comfort. We express ideas positively, they negatively. To-day a Japanese said to me:

"A good deal of not drinking too much brandy is good for the health."—Eli Perkins' Letter from Japan.

Use "Highland Brand" evaporated cream. *

St. Petersburg's Great Street—The Nevsky Prospekt.

By day or by night, in winter or summer, it is a pure delight to stand on the Anitchkoff bridge and survey the scene on either hand. If we gaze to the north toward what is one of the oldest parts settled on the rivulet-riddled, so-called "mainland," in this northern Venice, we see the long, plain facade of the Katherine Institute for the education of the daughters of officers, originally built by Peter the Great for his daughter Anna as the "Italian Palace," but used only for the palace servants, until it was built over and converted to its present purpose. Beyond we catch a glimpse of the yellow wings of Count Scheremetieff's ancient house and its great iron railing, behind which, in a spacious court-yard after the Moscow fashion so rare in thrifty Petersburg, the main building lies invisible to us. If we look to the south we find the long ochre mass of the Anitchkoff palace, facing on the Nevsky, upon the right shore; on the left, beyond the palace of Sergiei Alexandrovitch, the branch of the Alexander Nevsky Monastery, in old Russian style, with highly colored saints and heads of seraphim on the outer walls; and a perspective of light, stuccoed building—dwellings, markets, churches—until the eye halts with pleasure on the distant blue dome of the Troitzky cathedral, studded with golden stars. Indeed, it is difficult to discover a vista in St. Petersburg which does not charm us with a glimpse of one or more of these cross-crowned domes, floating, bubble-like, in the pale azure of the sky. Though they are afar from being as beautiful in form or coloring as those of Moscow, they satisfy us at the moment.

If it is on a winter night that we take up our stand here, we may catch a distant glimpse of the numerous "skating gardens," laid out upon the ice cleared on the snowy surface of the canal. The ice-hills will be black with forms flitting swiftly down the shining roads on sledges or skates, illuminated by the electric light; a band will be braying blithely, regardless of the piercing cold, and the skaters will dance on, in their fancy-dress ball or prize races, or otherwise, clad so thinly as to amaze the shivering foreigner as he hugs his furs.—Isabel F. Hapgood, in Scribner.

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MRS. E. LANGLEY,
au16-tf 19 South Turner street.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT BY-LAW

Finally Passed by the Council at a Special Meeting Held Last Evening.

The Tax Rate on Land Fixed at One and One-Half Per Cent—Surface Drains By-Law.

A special meeting of the City Council was held last evening to consider Ald. Hunter's Local Improvement By-Law. Mayor Beaven occupied the chair and there were present Ald. Hunter, Lovell, Bragg, Hall, Styles, McKillican, Humber and Munn.

The Council went into committee of the whole and proceeded to deal with the Local Improvement By-Law, clause by clause. Section ten, which was laid over at the last meeting, was passed and a new section was added to deal with street improvements.

The committee rose and reported the by-law complete with amendments, and the report was adopted by the Council.

Ald. Hunter moved that the by-law be passed. The motion was carried.

The by-law for the levying of a rate upon land and improvements was passed a second time, and the Council went into committee to consider it.

It was decided to place the rate upon land at 1½ per cent. and the question of the rate on improvements was laid over. A motion to place it at 1¼ per cent. and another to place it at ¾ per cent. were defeated.

The by-law to raise a sum of money to provide for the construction and improvement of certain service drains was taken up. The approximate estimate of the principal sewers for service drainage are as follows:

Kings Road, Work Estate, brick sewer 4 inch diam	$27,415 00
View street drain, brick sewer, 3 diam and branches	20,000 00
Spring Ridge and Fernwood Road 2 inch diam	6,750 00
Cook street drain 2ft diam and branches	13,335 00
Michigan and Superior streets, 4 inch brick sewer	10,000 00
Oswego 20 inch pipe	3,380 00
Menzies street 20 inch pipe	1,800 00
Surface drains for streets not included in above	17,322 00
Total	100,000 00

This by-law was taken up in committee, and after some discussion the committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

BUSINESS FOR TO-NIGHT.

Several Motions to be Dealt With by the Board of Aldermen This Evening.

There are several notices on the bulletin board at the City Hall, which will be dealt with at this evening's meeting of the City Council.

Ald. Munn has given notice that he will move that, in view of the necessity of the city being at all times well prepared to prevent the spread of infectious or contagious disease of a malignant character, dangerous to the public health, a committee of three be appointed from the council to meet a committee of the Royal Jubilee Hospital directors for the purpose of discussing the matter of establishing and maintaining an infectious diseases hospital, and operating it in connection with or as part of the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

The same alderman has given notice of his intention to introduce a by-law to borrow upon the credit of the corporation the sum of $——, to be paid out in connection with works of improvement on public highways.

Ald. Humber gives notice that he intends to move that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Provincial Government for the purpose of providing ways and means in case of an invasion of cholera, or any other epidemic; and also to arrange for the payment of expenses already incurred in connection with the recent outbreak of smallpox.

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER.

Dr. Watt States his Views upon the Health Officer's Absence.

A TIMES representative interviewed Dr. Watt to-day, to ask him as to his position as acting health officer of the city.

"I was requested," said the doctor, by Dr. Milne to perform his professional duties during his absence. This includes his private duties and his public work as well."

"But you did not receive official sanction of this exchange, Dr. Watt?" said his interviewer.

"No, although I understood that Dr. Milne had written to the mayor and council, requesting permission to leave, and to appoint myself in his absence. I do not see," he continued, "that the council need interfere, or that the city will suffer in any way. The necessary work will be done as systematically and thoroughly as if Dr. Milne were at home. The late epidemic has practically passed away, and all arrangements for effectually dealing with any fresh outbreak are at hand."

"Do you think it was discourteous to the council for Dr. Milne to leave without notification?"

"Not at all, at least it was never so intended by Dr. Milne. It is the most ordinary and usual thing for a physician desiring a vacation to request another physician to assume his duties until his return. I know, however, that Dr. Milne fully intended to write, as I said before, but possibly in the hurry of arrangements for leaving, he might have overlooked it."

"Shall you apply for the position of health officer if the council declares the position vacant?"

"Most certainly not; I should not like it under any circumstances, because it interferes with private practice, but especially just now, considering my professional relationship to Dr. Milne. I have, however, written to the council requesting them to allow me to continue the work, pending Dr. Milne's return, and thus allowing Dr. Milne to offer an explanation of his absence."

Have You Read

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y., was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia? He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomach, Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C. I. Hood & Co. Lowell, Mass.

The highest praise has been won by Hood's Pills for their easy, yet efficient action.

A 1 shaving materials at Fox's.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

The Burning of Chicago.

There was not much clamor of men, women or children. It is probable that the awfulness of the situation made the mind silent rather than noisy. Personal friends said to me, "The city is gone," or "No power can save us," or "All is lost," but beyond such ejaculations few were the words to be heard. Quite a stream of vehicles and persons were moving northward, but the movement did not seem that of a panic, but rather that of an orderly retreat. The guests were issuing from the Tremont and Sherman hotels. The banging of trunks was a little more violent than usual, and the vehicles into which trunks were going showed that the exodus of guests was informal, and yet not much was said by the man with the team or the man with the trunk.

The fire was raging in the business district, and its population at midnight was not great. The scene was not that of families fleeing for life, with mother calling to child and child crying to parent. The ruin was advancing in the great commercial blocks, whose clerks and business heads were perhaps miles distant from their counters and desks. It was a common event to see one or two men come down from a bank or office and unload their arms or a basket into either an express wagon or a well equipped carriage and then hasten away. Where there was distrust of a vault the valuable contents were extracted and headed for some place not yet doomed.

All beyond was a furnace, and a little after midnight the fact that the city was doomed, that my home was doomed, and that tens of thousands of persons would be homeless and penniless in a few hours, was fully realized. Before me lay in one mass of fire a district nearly a mile long and fully four squares wide, and under a wind which was almost a hurricane this red army was advancing. At intervals, like minute guns, came the boom of some falling wall. I turned to go home. The tumbling buildings made a solemn sound like the pulsations of a volcano or the heavy artillery of some field of battle.—Scribner's.

A Startling Story.

A favorite general officer of one of Gould's western railroads was called to New York a few years ago and jumped on by the little Wizard as follows:

"They tell me you are broke and don't pay your debts. What is the matter?"

The officer sputtered and stammered.

"It costs me a great deal to live," he replied. "My family is large, rents are high and doctors' bills have been considerable, but things are not so bad as you seem to think."

"I'll see," said Gould, handing out a check for $1,000. "Take this over to Connor and tell him to put it in the market as he sees fit. Come back here when he tells you to."

The man obeyed. It was an exciting day in Wabash, and he returned to Gould with $6,000.

"So you've been speculating," exclaimed Gould. "Don't do it again. That's what ails you fellows who don't know what you are about. You better go home now."

The unfortunate speculator bade Gould goodby with profuse thanks and started.

"Haven't you forgotten something?" called Gould.

"I don't know."

"Where's that $1,000 I lent you this morning? It seems to be true that you don't pay your debts. Remember, my boy, the essential thing in business is to keep up your credit."

The embarrassed officer paid the $1,000, and it has never been necessary to dun him for anything since.—New York Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Tissue Paper and Other Lampshades.

Tissue paper is usually employed in making shades for candles and candle lamps, two contrasting colors being selected, such as dark blue outside, pink inside, or sage green and old gold. They are furnished with ribbon to be tied around the top, sufficient accompanying each to allow of the making of handsome bows and ends. They are small, and made in imitation of roses or sunflowers, of moss or a bunch of forgetmenots or primroses; shields, shells, butterflies, Japanese fans, stars and tiny umbrellas are the prevailing forms.

They are all fitted with a brass or silver wire standard, secured to a clasp of the same material, which is flexible and can be placed at any desired height on the candle or candle lamp. Some new noninflammable shades for this purpose have been patented, and are shown by manufacturers and dealers. They are of transparent paper washed with noncombustible fluid. If overheated or exposed to the flame they only smolder, and do not catch fire or make a blaze. They also come in the same designs as the flat lampshades, ornamented with hand painted ferns, seaweeds and flowers of every description.—House Furnishing Review.

Cure for Low Spirits.

Take one ounce of spirits of resolution, an equal proportion of the oil of good conscience; infuse into these a tablespoonful of the salts of patience and add thereto a few sprigs of others' woes, which grow extensively in the garden of life. Gather also a handful of the blossoms of hope, sweeten these with the balm of Providence, and if possible procure a few drops of genuine friendship, but be careful of counterfeits in the ingredients of self interest, which grows spontaneously; the least admixture of it with the above would spoil the composition.

Reduce the whole to an electuary by a proper proportion of content, flavor with the essence of good judgment and regulate the quantity according to the virulence of the disease. Having tried the above recipe we know it to be an infallible cure.—Philadelphia Times.

A Cargo of Elephants.

A batch of elephants were taken on board at Calcutta, and the steamer went down the Hooghly and at night anchored off Sangor point. The sea was as still as oil, but the ship rolled so much that she was in danger of rolling over. The elephants had found that by swaying to and fro all together they could produce a pleasant rocking motion.

As the ship had no other cargo and rode light the captain was much frightened. The mahouts were hurried down into the hold, and each one, seated on his own beast, made him "break step," but they had to stay there for a long time.—J. L. Kipling's "Man and Beast in India."

How Russians Use Glycerin.

The Russians, taking advantage of the peculiar properties of glycerin, are in the habit of employing it to protect themselves against the severity of their climate. This they do by spreading a layer of glycerin upon their faces and other exposed parts before starting on their sledge journeys; the skin is thus effectually guarded against the excessive cold, as the glycerin neither evaporates nor congeals.—Hygiene.

WAVES WITHOUT WIND.

Volcanic Eruptions at Sea That are Very Much to be Feared.

Pearson's Weekly.)

Occasionally there appears a great wave sweeping across the calm surface of the ocean in the fairest weather and when no wind is blowing. There are few perils of the sea more to be dreaded than such a wave. Fortunately they are very rare, yet ships sometimes encounter them. Only a short time ago the Etruria was met with a wave of this kind, which rolled on her like a wall of water, and breaking against her side swept the deck with irresistible force, killing one sailor and seriously injuring others.

A smaller and less staunch vessel might have been overwhelmed and sent to the bottom by the blow. The cause of these singular waves is believed to be some disturbance of a volcanic nature at the bottom of the sea.

Volcanoes exist in the ocean as well as on land; in fact, nearly all the volcanoes known are on or near the sea coast. It is easy to see that an upheaval at the sea bottom may start a billow at the surface of the water, when we remember that huge waves have been sent clear across the Pacific Ocean to San Francisco by volcanic shakings of the earth on the borders of Asia.

The world under water is not only three times as extensive as that which is covered only with air, but it possesses many of the same great natural phenomena on a scale that is perhaps proportionately vast, but of whose existence we are made aware only by such indications as the volcanic ocean waves that ships occasionally encounter.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Victoria, 30th August, 1892.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
au30-td Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Victoria, 30th August, 1892.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
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H. CUTHBERT & CO.
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BY AUCTION

At 57½ Superior St., James Bay, on

Tuesday, September 13th,

at 11 a.m., the whole of his ELEGANT and COSTLY

FURNITURE,

Including handsome polished antique oak bed set, with 5 foot bureau and elaborately carved decorations, comprising bedstead, bureau, washstand, 2 small chairs, centre table and fine rocker; 2 antique oak bed sets, 7 pieces, also with finely carved decorations; black walnut bed set, 7 pieces; several choice toilet services, fine clipper box mattresses; 2 iron and brass bedsteads, with spring, hair and wool mattresses; blankets, counterpanes, feather pillows, bureaus, washstands, standard lamps; capital Brussels carpts, new and only recently laid, MASSIVE POLISHED OAK SIDEBOARDS with exquisitely carved panels and bevelled plate back; two rockers, bath centre tub, extension table, 7 leaves; Japanese screen and decorations, ornamental items, 6 oak dining chairs; lounge, well stuffed and beautifully upholstered; 1 doz. plants in jardinezers; walnut hall stand, hall chairs; fine "REDWOOD COOKING RANGE, 100 table, kitchen table and chairs, handsome and costly English china dinner service, complete and perfect; the usual cutlery, glass and tinware found in a well furnished house, 100 ft. of hose piping, number of ducks and chickens, and a wringing machine.

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The auctioneers wish to inform their friends and patrons that the whole of the FURNITURE is in EXCELLENT condition, all of it being quite new, with the exception of a portion which belonged to the Duke of Connaught.

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The whole of the

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Therein contained, consisting of

Eight bedroom suites, mattresses, beds, bedding and pillows, room and stair carpets, linoleums, mats and matting, wardrobes and large chest of drawers, shades, curtains and poles, heating and cook stoves, crockery ware and culinary articles, lamps, etc., also a chicken house, fence, carpenter's bench and a variety of other useful and desirable articles too numerous to mention.

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To-morrow

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Fine fat ox, 6 steers, 5 cows and calves, 20 tons of hay, horses, etc. Entrees may be made up to the time of sale.

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AND

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Pursuant to the order made herein by the Honorable H. P. Pellew Crease, one of the Judges of the Court, on the 29th day of June, 1892, and the further order made on the 24th day of August, 1892, Mr. Joshua Davies, the person appointed by the Court, will sell by Public Auction, at the Salesroom of

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,

Wharf Street, in the City of Victoria, on

Tuesday, 18th Day of October, 1892

At 12 o'clock noon, all that certain

FREEHOLD PROPERTY

Subdivided into 14 Lots

containing one acre and upwards, and described as BLOCK A of Section XXII, Victoria District, being part of the McNeill Estate.

Also, at the Same Time and Place

Under the direction of James Charles Prevost, Esq., Trustee under the will of the late Martha McNeill, all that certain other Freehold Property subdivided into

32 LOTS, CONTAINING ONE ACRE A D UPWARDS,

And described on the Map or Plan as BLOCK F of Section XXII, Victoria District, being part of the McNeill Estate.

Full particulars, terms and conditions of sale will be made known, with maps, after September 3rd, and can be obtained from Messrs.

YATES, JAY & RUSSELL, 22 Bastion street,
EBERTS & TAYLOR, 30 Langley street,
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FREE TREATMENT.

PENDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A dispensary in connection with a city hospital, DR. ERNEST HALL has arranged to TREAT ALL POOR PATIENTS FREE.

Consultation hours, between 5 and 8 p.m., on Tuesdays and Fridays. Office, corner Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria. au12-tf

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

The disposal of the sewage during the next few months will be probably continually on the tapis. The Chinese have been large users of the refuse in their gardens, hence quite a number of people do not like to purchase their vegetables. The mistake the Chinese make, however, is this: they strew the manure upon the surface, instead of placing it in trenches and covering it with mould. A practical gardener of this city assures me that properly utilized the whole of the sewage of Victoria might be disposed of this way, without the slightest inconvenience to either sense of smell or health of the inhabitants. The value in money as a fertilizer for the land in the vicinity of the city is well-nigh incalculable. In Japan the refuse of large cities is often conveyed 200 miles into the interior and used for enriching the soil. A little common sense and intelligence by scavengers, market gardeners and the public in this direction would aid to materially solve the problem that Victoria has to face during the next few months.

Is it not high time also for the Corporation to undertake its own scavenging work? If this city is ever to be kept in a good state of sanitation, it will only be by the systematic cleansing and removal of refuse by properly appointed civic officials. The haphazard private arrangement style is a relic of the dark ages. Good sanitation is absolutely necessary for the health, comfort and enjoyment of its residents. Victoria stands as high, probably higher, than any city in the province, but this says but little. The standard should be a much higher one, and we should set it. In nearly all large cities and in many small ones of this continent, and especially in the mother country, the corporation undertakes this business, making it penal for any private places to remain in an impure condition, for less than is paid by ordinary householders, would accomplish work that would be of incalculable benefit to Victoria, the greatest health resort of the Pacific coast.

I have often wondered why it is that so little variety of fish is found in our fish stores. The changes are rung upon salmon, cod, halibut, sturgeon with occasionally a few herrings. If the variety of fish sold in Billingsgate market was offered for sale in Victoria, the oldest inhabitant would rub his eyes with 'Rip Van Winkle incredulity. Brill, turbot, salmon, plaice, soles, cod, whiting, haddocks, herrings, eels, whitebait, bloaters, kippers, lobsters, crabs, oysters, lemon soles, halibut, gurnet, lake catfish, mackerel, skate, red mullet prawns and shrimps. This is the list taken at random from one of the London papers. Without doubt a larger variety of fish would be found in the waters around the island if diligent search were made for them, and better facilities offered for sale. I saw prawns offered for sale in Chinatown yesterday, a phenomenon I never witnessed before in our fair city.

It was at one time suggested that all butchers and fish dealers should be compelled to sell only in the city market. A move without doubt in the right direction. Fishmongers more than butchers are open to the suggestion that offal may be improperly disposed of. It would place all upon an equal level to have stalls in the market and as the arrangements for water, drainage, light and air are most excellent, and rents are very cheap, there could possibly be no hardship in the matter. The city would benefit in many ways by the arrangement.

School is now opened, and paterfamilias is being pestered by bright boys and girls saying, "where are my books? I want, oh such a pile," and the poor persecuted parent meekly submits, and enters the book stores. I know one father who expended $10 to $12 this term upon new books, many of them being simply fads of the Education Department or of the teachers. There ought to be no important change in any class book, save only after well-matured consideration, and that unless any very clear and definite educational advantage is obtained. The piles of disused and obsolete school books in every home of the city suggests wretched management.

I hear that a boy of 14 employed in one of our local dry goods stores has run away from his parents and employer. Probably he has gone to California, as he intimated as much to a companion of his before he left. There appears to be no very ostensible reason for his disappearance, except a whimsical notion or fancied desire for change. The anxious parents are earnestly hoping that he may be restored to them again. QUIZ.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITIONS.

Where and When the Fall Shows Will be Held This Year.

The full agricultural exhibitions in the province are given in the appended table in their order:

CHILLIWHACK—Chilliwhack Agricultural Society. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 14, 15 and 16.

NEW WESTMINSTER—Royal Agricultural and Industrial Society of British Columbia. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 20, 21, 22 and 23.

VICTORIA—British Columbia Agricultural Association. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 27, 28, 29, 30 and October 1.

KAMLOOPS—Inland Agricultural Association of British Columbia. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 5, 6 and 7.

SAANICH—North and South Saanich Agricultural Society's Exhibition. Thursday and Friday, October 13 and 14.

SURREY—Surrey Agricultural Society's annual exhibition, Surrey Centre, Friday, September 16th. Entries close September 15th. E. M. Wiltshire, Secretary.

LADNERS LANDING—Delta Agricultural Society's annual show, Tuesday September 20th. Entries close September 19th. Paul E. Ladner, secretary.

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Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

Gus Heege in "Yon Yonson."

YON YONSON will make his first appearance in Victoria this evening, as a more or less accurate presentation of a striking Swedish-American character, set amid scenes of the great lumber regions of the Northwest. It will doubtless attract all classes of playgoers fond of novelty. "Yon Yonson" is a comedy drama, the chief actor in which is Mr. Gus Heege, the author of the play and the originator of the Swedish dialect on the stage. Mr. Heege made his studies of character and scenery from actual personal observation during three months in the logging camps in upper Wisconsin and Minnesota. Every character has its prototype in this strange Northwestern life. Every scene and incident is presumably founded upon places and facts. These will certainly be fresh. A log jam in the Black River is reproduced with mechanical effects that surprise and delight. It is said that during the Northwestern tour of "Yon Yonson" the Scandinavian lumbermen used to flock into the theatres in such numbers and were so demonstrative of applause that the floors had the appearance of having been riddled by bird-shot. This from their spiked shoes. The delineation of the Swedish character is Mr. Heege's strong point, and around this one prominent character is woven the plot of the play. The scenes and situations are incidental, though they are said to be natural and strong. Reserved seats on sale at Jamieson's.

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Parents are usually very chary and cautious regarding the introduction of artificial foods in the home for the babies and young children. The large majority of the foods now offered for sale are totally unfit for infantile nutrition, and are often a source of danger.

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"I cannot speak too highly of it, and have thought it only just that I should drop you a line or two in appreciation of your efforts on behalf of our darlings.

"Yours very thankfully,
"H. LOVELOCK."

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—OF THE—
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September 16th, 1892.

Trotting and Pacing—For Stallions owned in the Province three months previous to day of race. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse, $200.

Trotting and Pacing, 2:40 Class—Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse, $200.

Running—Half mile and repeat. Open. Purse $200.

Running—One mile single dash. Open. Purse $200.

Running—Half mile single dash. No horse allowed to compete that has already won public money. Purse, $100.

SEPTEMBER 17th, 1892.

Trotting and Pacing, 2 minute class—Purse, $200.

Trotting and Pacing—Open to all. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse, $400. Purse divided: 60 per cent., 25 per cent., 15 per cent.

Running—Mile and repeat. Open. Purse, $200.

Running—One mile and a quarter dash. Open. Purse, $200.

Trotting Race—For Gentlemen's Driving Horses. Must be driven by owner. No horse allowed to compete that has already won public money. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Prize, Cup, value $100. Entrance fee, $5.

Entries Close Saturday, September 10, 1892, with the Secretary.

Entrance Fees 10 Per Cent. of Purse.

For further particulars and entry forms address

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Return Tickets from Victoria and Nanaimo at single fare available till 18th. au29-td

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A Grand Bazaar

Will be given by the ladies of the Diocese in aid of the Building Fund of Christ Church Cathedral, on

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VACCINATION

In order that vaccination may be carried out with dispatch, the medical men of the city have arranged with me to vaccinate all those who are unable to pay free of charge, and that those who can afford to pay, a charge of $1 will be made.

The public vaccinators of the city will vaccinate free all those who are in need of vaccinating.

A certificate of vaccination will be given in every case of where the vaccination has been successful.

G. L. MILNE, M.D., Health Officer.

Dr. POWELL

Has taken rooms in the building occupied by Dr. Duncan, No. 89 Fort street, where he may be consulted daily from 9:30 a.m. 12 m. jy18

FREE VACCINATION.

Persons wishing to be vaccinated may have it performed free of charge by calling upon Dr. Powell, 89 Fort street, or Dr. Milne, 36 Douglas street, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 12 m. and 5 to 6 p.m.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
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A FARM OF TWO HUNDRED ACRES ON West Saanich road, about eight miles from Victoria. Sixty acres good bottom land, forty acres cleared, well ditched and fenced. Price $30 per acre; half cash, balance on time. Apply to GEORGE LINDSAY, m29-tf 57 Third street Victoria

TO DRY GOODS MERCHANTS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY:

James Allison, formerly proprietor of the Caledonian Dye House, has re-opened at 116 Yates St., under the name of the Paisley Dye Works, and will be glad of the patronage of his old customers. He is now in a position to take in Piece Goods and all kinds of Fancy Work. All work guaranteed. jy16-1m

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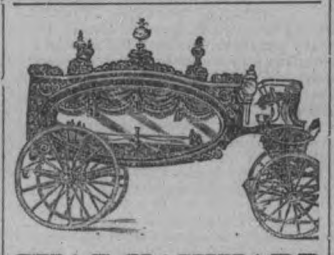

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE,
re Schooner Ariel.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the schooner "Ariel" are requested to send same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said schooner are requested to pay to the undersigned the amounts due on or before the said 1st day of October next.

H. G. HALL,
12 Bastion Square, Victoria.
Solicitor for the owners of the schooner "Ariel."
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6th, 1892. sep6-1d

B.C. Pharmaceutical Association.

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS.

The semi-annual examinations for the Licentiate of Pharmacy Certificate of this Association will be held on

Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 5 & 6

Candidates must notify the Registrar, in writing, of their intention to present themselves for examination, before Sept. 21.

Candidates for registration on diplomas from some other Association must deposit the same with the Registrar before Sept. 7th.

Any further information as to place and time of examination may be obtained from

M. G. BLANCHARD,
Sec.-Registrar,
P.O. Box 592. a29tc21 Victoria, B.C.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

Steamship
Bushmills
Capt. Venning.
From Liverpool and Glasgow.

THE ABOVE VESSEL will commence discharging cargo at the outer wharf tomorrow morning. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading and pay freight at once to the undersigned. All goods left on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day will be stored at consignees' risk and expense.

ROBT. WARD & CO., LIMITED LIABILITY, Agents.
au26-3w 76 Wharf street.

To the Board of Licensing Commissioners:

I THE UNDERSIGNED CARLO BOSSI, OF the Osborne House, Pandora street, in the city of Victoria, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of September next, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail in a certain building used or intended to be used for an hotel, and containing upwards of 30 rooms, and which said building is known as "The Osborne House," and is situate and and built on Lot 149 in the city of Victoria, at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets in the said city of Victoria.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1892.
au3-td CARLO BOSSI.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

POSITIVELY NO SHOOTING at Cloverdale Farm. Trespassers will be prosecuted.
au30-1m J. W. TOLMIE.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The bridge on the Gorge Road, the second one from Government street, is closed by order of the Council.

E. A. WILMOT,
au22 City Engineer.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of Victoria will not be responsible for any liability in connection with "The Board of Health," which has not been authorized by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Alderman John B. Lovell.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
July 30, 1892. Clerk Municipal Council.
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MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

The examination of candidates to practice medicine in this Province will take place in the city of Vancouver, beginning on Tuesday, the 6th September, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Particulars by applying to

G. L. MILNE,
a25-2w Secretary and Registrar.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business at No. 28½ Broad street, in the city of Victoria, B.C., under the name and style of Irving and Haywood, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. Irving will continue the business at the same stand.

ROBERT IRVING,
21st Aug, 1892. a25-1m WM. C. HAYWOOD.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Alfred V. Stronach, deceased, late of Victoria, are hereby requested to present the same, duly attested, within one month. Persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having any personal effects belonging to the estate will please deliver the same to

A. B. STRONACH,
Administrator.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 11th, 1892. au11-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Limited, to the Governor in Council and to the Minister of Public Works for permission to construct a wharf situated on section XXX, Shoal Point, Victoria City, fronting on Victoria harbor. Plans of the situation of the proposed wharf have been deposited with the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and at the Registry Office, Victoria.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1892.

D. R. KER,
au8-tf Manager.

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors. JOHN J. AUSTIN,
63 Government Street, Victoria,
Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

TAKE NOTICE that we, George Shea and James McLeod shall apply to the Licensing Court to be held in and for the city of Victoria on the second Wednesday in the month of September, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us at the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates street, in the city of Victoria, situated upon portion of Victoria City Lot No. 196, to William Shewan and Robert Menaugh, both of Yates street in the city of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated the 3rd day of August, 1892.

GEO. SHEA,
au5 JAMES McLEOD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the undersigned, to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for the permission to erect and extend a wharf on lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, Block I, Victoria West Park, Fronting on Victoria Harbor. Plans showing the situation of the proposed wharf have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C. This notice is given in terms of 49 Victoria, Chapter 35 Sec. 2, of the Revised Statutes of Canada.

VICTOR JACKOBSON.
Victoria, B.C., 15th August, 1892. au19-31t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the next regular sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, we shall apply for a hotelkeeper's license for the premises situated on part of Lot E 182, in the City of Victoria, known as the New England Hotel, Government street, in the said City of Victoria.

Dated 5th August, 1892.

M. YOUNG.
au5-1m LOUIS YOUN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer to James Rollin of the license held by me for the sale of wines and other fermented and intoxicating liquors upon the premises known as the White Horse, on Humboldt street, in the city of Victoria.

aug13-1m JOHN WALSH.

TO DEPOSITORS

The British Columbia Land & Investment Agency, Ld.

(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

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necessary and weighs to-day about 218 pounds. This is not official, as his handlers refuse to allow anybody excepting themselves to see him weighed, but a United Press reporter learned it from a source good enough to bet on. He is good enough on his feet when it comes to skipping the rope, but this exercise invariably makes him perspire heavily. He breathes heavily, too, after going through this form of exercise, for any considerable length of time, but his skin is good and his eyes bright, and his confidence in himself remains as of old. The opinion that Sullivan must win shortly or not at all is based on the fear that his wind may not hold out. That is the one doubt of those betting on him. His handlers are confident and say he is all right in that respect. Corbett is in as fine form as an athlete can possibly be trained into. It is needless to specify wherein his perfection lies. He is the best conditioned man in all respects that John L. Sullivan ever tried to beat, and if the big fellow defeats him he will be amply entitled to hold the title of champion.

SIMPLY PLAYED WITH HIM.

The Dixon-Skelly fight last night was a great surprise to even Dixon's admirers. They knew he would win, of course, but that he should have had such an easy time astonishes them. Skelly, the clever amateur, flew too high when he tackled George Dixon in his first professional fight. He could not get near him at any stage of the game, and was only a little aggressive in a couple of rounds. In eight rounds he touched Dixon once. Dixon simply played with him all way through, and and could beat him in half the time if he had so desired. The colored boy could not, however, quite get over the idea that the crowd was against him, and would use any pretext to deprive him of the decision. This was a groundless fear, but he gave Skelly all the show he could consistent with the intention of winning ultimately. As it was he marked the ex-amateur's face pretty badly, and came out, like the champion of the night before, without a mark or swelling. Skelly is terribly broken up over his defeat, and he received no sympathy from his seconds, who say he refused to take their advice and force the fighting. By an odd coincidence Murphy, the Boston featherweight, with whom Dixon fought before, and who came here to challenge him again, took quarters at the same house occupied by Dixon and they are sleeping under the same roof.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—Joe Goddard said last night that he would not fight again before the California club. During his late fight with Smith the audience continually hooted at him. He says he was interfered with by the police and that Smith hugged the floor. Goddard is in dead earnest about challenging the winner of to-night's battle for $10,000. He is willing to put up half of it out of his own pocket. Unlike most pugilists, Goddard is a man of means. He is a contractor in Australia and often has hundreds of pounds at command.

TO-NIGHT'S SUPREME BATTLE.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—The Olympic officials have not yet acted on Corbett's protest against Sullivan's boasted use of plasters on his stomach, but President Noel said to-day that it seemed to him as though the Californian's point was well taken. The Sullivan people say there is no section of the Queensberry rules to govern the matter, and that a man can wear all the belts and plasters he wants to. It will be remembered that Mitchell would not agree to the use of the same kind by Sullivan in France, and Sullivan had to remove the cloths protested against by Mitchell, as the London prize ring rules prohibit such appliances. The Sullivan people may be told before night that while the Queensberry rules do not refer specially to the subject they do state that the London rules shall govern on all points touched upon in this code. Many more people from adjacent localities have reached the city to-day to attend the big event to-night. A tremendous jam is expected. It is estimated that the two fights that have gone before have yielded gate receipts of between $95,000 and $150,000. To-night, when the prices will be higher still, this sum will be more than doubled. The club gives $42,500 in a purse, so it can easily be seen that the Olympic Club is rather a prosperous institution just now. Sullivan's seconds will be Charley Johnston, Jack McAuliffe, Ashton and Casey. At noon to-day the betting has gone 4 to 1 on Sullivan and 5 to 3 on Corbett.

WRESTLING.

DAN M'LEOD IN AUSTRALIA.

The S.F. Examiner says:—William Robinson, formerly of Sydney and late of the California Club, has solved the mystery of the ancestry of "Dan Stewart," the "American wrestler," who has just overthrown the Australian champion, Jack Perryman, most handily. A Sydney sporting paper came to Robinson by the Monowai yesterday and it contained a portrait of Stewart, who is none other than D. S. McLeod, the sturdy young Scotchman who beat Peter Schumacher in such a manner as to make his admirers sick and afterwards had such a tussle with "Little Demon" Acton. The woodcut in the paper received by Robinson is not very clear as to features, but there is no mistaking McLeod in the outline.

"Stewart" has been suspected of being a ringer ever since he obtained any prominence in the colonies, but he gave sufficient of his record and retained enough of his name, which is Daniel Stewart McLeod, to avoid the heavy penalties imposed for misrepresentation imposed in the land of square sport. When McLeod left here after the fiasco with Parson Davies' pair, McInerney and Strangler Lewis, it was whispered that he was off on a scouting expedition, and that he was well provided with money to back himself wherever he might land by a local manager who also hails from the land o' cakes.

If any more evidence than the picture is needed of the identity of Stewart and McLeod it is to be had in his signed challenge to toss the heavy hammers against all comers, this being a sport at which he is in the champion class. His wins over Schumacher and McInerney are the only events occurring in America that enter his record, the remainder of it being made up of English and Canadian matches.

He beat Perryman in two straight falls in 22 minutes and 2 seconds and 3 minutes and 46 seconds, respectively, and has now a match on with Ned Pickup, of Newcastle, and numerous challenges to select another victim from.

WHEELING.

MAKING ARRANGEMENTS.

A meeting of the Wanderers' Cycling club was held last evening to complete arrangements for the races to be held in connection with the Agricultural Society's exhibition. The following were elected officers of the track: Referee, T. W. Edwards; judges, D. R. Ker, Wm. Dalby and J. E. Wilson; timekeepers, P. W. Patterson, W. H. Ellis and J. D. Taylor; starter, Wm. Lorimer; clerk of the course, Capt. H. R. Foot; and scorer, C. H. Gibbons; umpires, J. R. Kerr, R. S. Heisterman and J. H. Baker.

CLUB RUN.

Captain Jeffrey of the Wanderers has announced a club run for Saturday. The members will meet in Trounce avenue at 2 p.m.

FOOTBALL.

MEETING ON SATURDAY.

The annual meeting of the Association football team will be held Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the James Bay club house. Preliminary arrangements for the opening of the season will be made. The team will have some new blood this year and will make a strong fight for supremacy in the province for the season.

Pipe Smokers.

You may be satisfied with the brands of tobaccos you have been using for years. Grant it; that you are satisfied. As there is always room for improvement, we ask you to try our OLD CHUM PLUG, or cut smoking tobacco, and we believe you will be BETTER satisfied. In any case a trial won't hurt you. Don't delay upon the order of your buying, but buy at once. *

Labby Talks Too Plainly.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—Mr. Gladstone denies that he did not offer Mr. Labouchere an office because of certain incidents connected with Mr. Labouchere's position and occupation, and that Mr. Labouchere's action in voting against the Royal grants was a bar to his holding office.

DIAMOND CITY DOINGS.

Nanaimo's Muddy Drinking Water—Dissolution of Partnership—McLean Once More.

It is time some step was taken by the Waterworks to put in a reservoir in connection with the works to filter the water before it is conveyed to the consumer. At present the water is very muddy; if a jug of it is allowed to stand over night the deposit of dirt in the bottom next morning is very heavy. Few possess filters, and although the dirty water may not be harmful, those who drink it would prefer it clear. The company is becoming gigantic, and at present furnish water to about 8000 persons.

The firm of Forester & Scott have dissolved partnership and the business will be conducted by Captain Scott. Mr. Forester will probably open another business in the city.

A new lodge of Good Templars was instituted in the city last evening by the Rev. A. E. Green, Grand Chief Templar.

Frank Gilligan was brought before Magistrate Planta yesterday on a charge of indecent exposure. After hearing the evidence the magistrate adjourned the case for three days.

A local oarsman named Haus has accepted a challenge from McLean to row a match on Saturday for $100 a side. McLean is to row in a stationary seat, while Haus takes a sliding seat, distance three miles with a turn. Haus is an amateur of local renown, having beaten all comers at the different races here, and it is presumed he will make a better showing than other oarsmen have done in this city with McLean.

The city council contemplates raising the salary of Chief Constable O'Connell and Sergeant Gibbs. Both officers are considered by the public as deserving of it.

Fine fishing tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street.

Try Breakfast Gem, the finest cereal food for people troubled with dyspepsia, to be had at J. P. Matthews & Co., SOLE AGENTS for Victoria. *

DIED.

LENT.—In this city on Sept. 6th, Georgie Victoria Lent, aged 7 months, only child of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lent.

The funeral will take place to-morow morning at 11 a.m. from the residence of Mrs. Branch, 2nd house beyond the Exposition buildings, Cadboro Bay road.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this invitation.

MARRIED.

SANDES-SHEPHERD.—At St. Andrews cathedral, by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens of Victoria, on Sept. 7th, Letitia, daughter of John Sandes, Esq., of Clapham, England, to Arthur Shepherd of New Westminster.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

New Telegraph HOTEL.

Having Leased the New Telegraph Hotel, Store Street, and furnished it anew, it will opened for the accommodation of the public on the 25th inst.

ACCOMMODATION FOR 100 GUESTS

This Hotel is a three-story brick, with basement; has electric light and gas, and all the modern conveniences, and commands a fine view of the harbor.

TERMS, from $1 to $2 per Day.

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EXCURSION

—TO—

Port Angeles via Port Townsend

—ON—

Sunday, September 11th.

S.S. JOAN

Will leave Janion's Wharf at 9.30 a. m., for Port Angeles. Calling at Port Townsend. Returning will leave Port Angeles about 5 p.m.

TICKETS FOR ROUND TRIP, $1.

Tickets for Sale at Jamieson's Bookstore and Campbell's Cigar Store. se7-4t.

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McDONALD.—On the 7th inst., at the residence corner Cadboro Bay Road and Oak Bay Avenue, the wife of J. T. McDonald of a son.

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40 Yates Street, Victoria,

And at the place of sale.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1892. se7

NOTICE

Is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or upon Navigable Waters," Cap. 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, that I, the undersigned, shall 30 days after date apply to the Governor-General of Canada in Council for his approval of a certain wharf, proposed to be constructed by me in Victoria Harbor, fronting Lot 16, Block L, Harbor Estate, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that I have deposited plans thereof and a description of the proposed site with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles, at Victoria, aforesaid. Dated the 7th day of September, 1892. ROWLAND WM. COLVIN, by his Solicitor, LINDLEY CREASE. se7-1m

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